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## DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Cloudy tonight; Thursday fair, slowly rising temperature.

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## WHYNO GETS JAIL TERM; MUST PAY COSTS OF THE CASE

Bristol Township Man Given One to Three Years in Jail

### SHOT HIS BROTHER

The Two Men Argued in Their Home Over Use of Car

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 6—Carmi Whyno, 41, Bristol Township, who was arrested after shooting his brother, Charles Whyno, 32, in their home on Bath Road, on September 23rd, was sentenced yesterday to serve from one to three years in Bucks County prison, and directed to pay the costs of the case.

Sentence was pronounced by Judge Calvin Boyer, after Whyno pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery. **Continued on Page Four**

## First-Aid Tournaments Have Been Held by Scouts

First-aid tournaments, sponsored by the Bucks County Council Boy Scouts of America, have been in progress during the past week to promote a more thorough knowledge of the principles of first-aid, particularly as used at the time of an imaginary accident.

Field Commissioner George E. Dorner has been in charge and tournaments have been held in Sellersville, Warrington, Churchville, St. Francis School and the final tournament will be held at the American Legion rooms, Newtown, tonight. Problems are given involving the use of "pressure points" to stop arterial bleeding, treatment for shock, the proper use of artificial respiration, and application of splints to fractures. In addition, proper carrying of the patient and patient care is emphasized. These first aid tournaments are an annual competition affair and are of real value as practical first aid.

President Eastburn, on behalf of the Executive Board, thanked Judge Keller for the use of the basement of his building which he has so generously provided for several years as a council headquarters.

At a recent Executive Board meeting of the Bucks County Council held at the Doylestown Inn, it was decided to invite all Scoutmasters, Skippers, Cubmasters and Assistants as the guests of the Council at the annual scouters' banquet held in January. It was also voted to take under the custody of the council's seasonal shipping board, all naval and coast guard boats loaned to the council by the United States Government and that their use and maintenance be supervised by this board. It was announced by Finance Chairman E. H. Lovett that a total of \$12,479.23 has been received in cash and pledges on the campaign for maintenance funds for the council with several hundred dollars still anticipated. The following men were present: Hon. Calvin S. Boyer, Wm. Burgess, Jr., Rev. A. B. Davidson, Arthur M. Eastburn, George S. Hobensack, Hon. Hiram H. Keller, E. H. Lovett, H. A. Pettit, Sr., Walter W. Pitzenka, C. A. G. Pease, Thomas Ross, Ernest Rush, Sr., Paul R. Sine, Hon. T. B. Stockham, Dr. A. J. Strathie, Lloyd Weisel, J. B. Weiss, Lewis Peterhoff, F. P. Kemmerer, and Scout Executive Robert B. Goeller.

### THE CURRAN FUNERAL

SOUTH LANGHORNE, Dec. 6—High Mass was said in Our Lady of Grace Church, Monday morning, by the Rev. Father Edward J. Mechunas, when funeral was conducted for Harry Joseph Curran, late of Parkland. Interment was in New Cathedral Cemetery, Philadelphia, under direction of R. L. Horner.

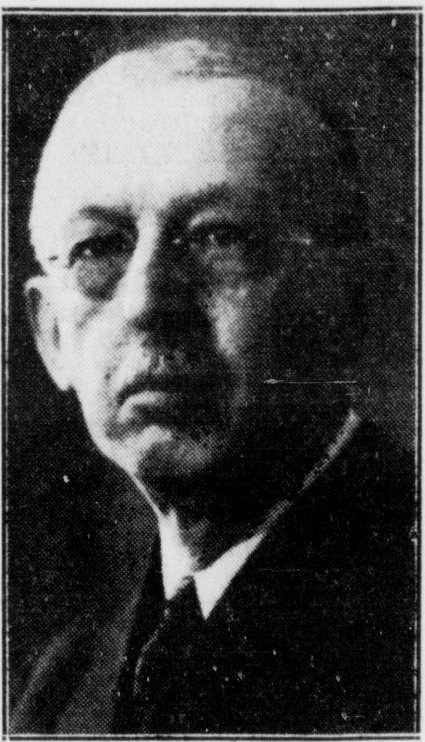
### AMONG THOSE INDICTED

A Federal Grand Jury at Detroit yesterday returned a blanket indictment charging 48 individuals, the contractors, building trades contractors and one labor union with violation of the anti-trust laws in the building industries. Included in the indicted list was the Robertson Art Tile Co., of Morrisville.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond G. McCoy, 21, Mary Lentini, 20, Bristol.  
William Hall, 31, Lawrenceville, N. J., Carrie Low, 23, 711 North 17th street, Philadelphia.

## Publishes New History



DORON GREEN

Author of "Old Homes on Radcliffe Street." The book is just off the press, and is now offered to the public.

## NEW HISTORICAL BOOK RELEASED TO PUBLIC

Doron Green's History of "Old Home on Radcliffe Street" Just Off the Press

### A VALUABLE WORK

"Old Homes on Radcliffe Street," is the title of a new compilation of historical data by Doron Green, Bristol's well known historian. Mr. Green in 1911 published "History of Bristol, Pennsylvania," and this, his latest work, might be considered a sequel to his first effort. The "History of Bristol, Pennsylvania" is used as a text book in teaching local history in the Bristol public schools.

In "Old Homes on Radcliffe Street," which is just off the press, Mr. Green deals in a most interesting manner with residents of yesteryears of this historic borough. The book deserves a place in every library of this community and it should be read by every resident of this vicinity, because the characters set forth on its pages played a conspicuous part in the development of the community.

With no thought as to recompense but motivated by home town love and pride, Mr. Green spent innumerable hours compiling the facts.

Mr. Green was born in Bristol, January 10, 1868, and completed a course of education in the Bristol public schools before commencements were held or diplomas awarded.

He is secretary of the William H. Grundy Company, Inc., manufacturers of wool tops and worsted yarns, with which corporation he has been associated for 54 years.

He has been a member of the Bristol School Board for 40 years and is serving his 24th year as president. He is a past president of the Bucks County School Directors Association and its oldest member.

He is a charter member of Bristol Lodge, No. 576, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and during its existence served several years both as secretary and treasurer. He was a member of the building committee which had charge of the erection of the present home of the Lodge.

He is also a member of Bristol Lodge, No. 25, Free and Accepted Masons; Fidelity Council, No. 21, Fraternal Patriotic Americans; and the Bristol Exchange Club, of which latter organization he is a charter member and a past president.

He is a director of the Union Building and Loan Company, and has been its treasurer for over 30 years.

His religious affiliation is with the Methodist Church. He is president of the Board of Trustees, and after service. **Continued on Page Three**

### CARDS ON THURSDAY

EDGELEY, Dec. 6—The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Chapel will sponsor a turkey and chicken card party in the church on Thursday evening. Among the prizes are: Turkey, chickens, console set, blanket, and clothes hamper. The public is invited. Assignments will be made at 8.30.

### How Did He Know It?

(By "The Stroller")  
The calendar pad on my desk had November 23rd marked as Thanksgiving Day.  
I purchased this pad last December, during the first part of the month.  
Now what I want to know is this:  
How did that printer know that Thanksgiving Day would be November 23rd?  
Other calendars in our office have November 30th designated as Thanksgiving Day.  
But a queerer thing is that a desk calendar of the same type which I have just purchased for 1940, replaces the Thanksgiving holiday on the fourth Thursday in November.

## LATEST NEWS - - -

Received by International News Service Leased Wires.

## Foresees Invasion of Norway and Sweden

By James L. Kilgallen (I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

New York, Dec. 6—Russia's invasion of Finland presages a Soviet invasion of Sweden and Norway, in the opinion of H. R. Knickerbocker, famous International News Service war correspondent, now in New York.

"There is every evidence Russia intends to invade Sweden and Norway," said Knickerbocker. "Stalin wants that Swedish ore. Hitler would like it, but some day he may have to pay Russian for that ore—and like it."

"It is only a question of time before the Russians will execute every person in Finland who has a high school education or \$100 in his name. That's what they did in Poland," Knickerbocker added.

Russia can be stopped in its Westward invasion of Europe only by the Allies, in Knickerbocker's opinion. He said "Germany has neither the intention nor the power to stop the move of the Soviet into Scandinavian States." A revolution in Germany, he believes, "is out of the question." Such a suggestion he regarded as "wish-bone thinking." He contended that Germany would have to be "cracked militarily" before a revolution in Germany could take place.

## Oxford Valley Man Killed By Auto at Wilburtha

YARDLEY, Dec. 6—Everitt Plumer Need, 58, who resided near the "eight-square" school house, Oxford Valley, was killed when struck by an automobile near Wilburtha, N. J., early yesterday morning.

The driver of the car, Lawrence Thorne, 26, of 57 Olden avenue, Ewing Township, N. J., was held under \$1,000 bail last evening when arraigned before officers in Ewing Township.

After striking Need, Thorne summoned officers, and Need was rushed to a Trenton hospital, where he was pronounced dead. It was there that identification of the body was made by Need's son-in-law, Paul Wright, Parkland, who had been summoned by the police.

Need, a painter by trade, had been engaged on various contract jobs. He was born in Lower Makefield Township, the son of the late David Creque Need and Alice Yost Need.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Sophie M. Need (nee Kettler); and two daughters, Mrs. Paul Wright, Parkland; and Mrs. Charles Lefferts, Willow Grove.

The Rev. Henry Cunningham, Newtown, will conduct the funeral service on Friday at 2.30 p. m., at the Horner funeral home, Langhorne. Friends may call Thursday evening, between seven and nine o'clock.

## RAISE \$26,200 FUND FOR DOYLESTOWN CHURCH

Educational and Recreational Hall To Be Built in Near Future

### WIPE OUT CHURCH DEBT

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 6—A campaign to raise \$26,200 within a period of one week met with success by the Presbyterian Church here, last week.

This amount was set as a goal necessary to raise a total of \$35,000, the approximate amount that will be used for the erection of a new educational and recreational building to be built in the rear of the present church property.

Announcement of the success of the campaign was made Sunday at the morning service at the Presbyterian Church by the Rev. George Sower, D. D., who was director of the short. **Continued on Page Four**

### NEED WORKERS

Bristol Branch of the Red Cross is desirous of knowing those members who will help with the sewing which is so imperative at this time. Other than the regular civilian demands are those of the war-stricken countries of Europe. Officials here ask that those interested in knitting telephone Mrs. Archibald Morris, 2122; or those desiring to make infants' clothing, phone Mrs. George E. Boswell, 2228. A meeting of the board will be held in the new headquarters, 118 Mill street, at 2.30 tomorrow.

### TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water ..... 11.36 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.  
Low water ..... 6.06 a. m.; 6.38 p. m.

## Here and There in Bucks County Towns

### HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Du Mond, Arlington, Mass., were entertained over the week-end by Miss Margaret Perry. The Get-Together Club luncheon is scheduled for tomorrow in the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Leo McCarthy was hostess yesterday at a luncheon for benefit of Our Lady of Grace Church, South Langhorne.

Mrs. J. M. Force, Jr., entertained members of her bridge club last evening.

Friends in the borough were visited last week by Mr. and Mrs. Washington Head, formerly of Hulmeville. Mr. and Mrs. Head have been motoring through New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs, Jr., Riverton, N. J., paid a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hibbs, Sr., on Thursday.

### CROYDON

The Ushers Association of Wilkins Memorial Methodist Church has elected officers for the coming year: President, Doran Edwards; vice-president, Thomas Dolde; secretary, George Cornwell, Jr.; treasurer, Raymond Schweiker; chaplain, Arthur Wilkinson. Representatives to the Bucks County Fellowship League are George Cornwells, Jr., and Doran Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rittenhouse entertained Mrs. Rittenhouse's mother from Philadelphia, over the week-end. A shower was given Miss Mildred Holland, Croydon, by some employees of Sears Roebuck Company, Wednesday evening, at St. James Hotel, Philadelphia. Music, singing and dancing were followed by a delicious luncheon.

### TULLYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Liberatore entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Milanese and son Alexander; Mrs. Alexander Milanese and son Peter, Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pezza, New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Liberatore and son Joseph, Jr., Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Petty and family have moved from the Hankins property to an apartment in the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cattani, Trenton, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Cutchinal.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Napoli and son Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cutchinal were Sunday visitors with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Dorothy Gaskill, Wind Gap, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskill.

### EDGELEY

Mr. and Mrs. John Whorton, Norristown, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Welker.

Alex Downsp, H. Cochran, Charles Bunting, W. Croft spent three days deer hunting in Sullivan County, last week.

Vaughn Leckie has purchased a Ford V-8.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fitch, Cornwells Heights, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. William Firman.

Mrs. George Whorton and children spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carter, Fallsington.

James Schell is ill with the grippie. Mrs. J. Doster and Mrs. Robert Shores spent Friday in Trenton, N. J., with friends.

Mrs. M. Jones, Passaic, N. J., spent Thursday with Mrs. VanLenten.

Thomas Loughlin was fortunate in bagging an eight-point buck in Bradford County, on Friday. William Welker, also of the same party, shot a six-point buck.

## DECORATIVE AND ALSO PRACTICAL GIFTS SHOWN

Wide Assortment of Offerings Make Gift Seeking Happy Occasion

### HOLIDAY APPROACHES

#### By Gift Seeker

"Deck the halls with holly" is a familiar phrase which comes to the ears with the approach of Christmas. And it could well be said to the man who is willing to take advice: "Deck the little wife with finery." And who deserves it better than the lady who presides with grace. **Continued on Page Four**

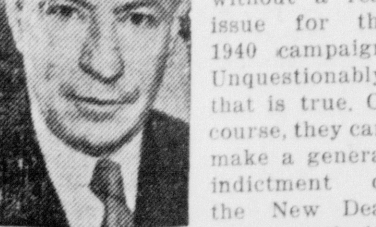
## THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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### They May Get An Issue

Washington, Dec. 5. THE statement is frequently made that the Republicans as a party are without a real issue for the 1940 campaign. Unquestionably, that is true. Of course, they can make a general indictment of the New Deal waste and incompetency. They can promise to clear up the mess which the Roosevelt Administration has made. They can pledge a return to sanity and solvency.



BUT there is no concrete proposition of either foreign or domestic policy which cleanly divides the two parties. All of the things about the New Deal which the Republicans denounce have been ex-

coriated by Democrats, in and out of Congress, with even greater force and effectiveness. As a party the Republicans have no distinctive program or policy of their own. Nor, despite the arduous labors of the Glenn Frank committee, is one likely to be evolved.

THAT is the way things stand now. However, this does not mean either that the Republican position is not politically strong or that they will not have a very real issue by the time the campaign opens. A few days ago Senator Wheeler, of Montana, expressed the conviction that the Republicans would nominate a conservative for President next year. He probably is right. Everything is relative in this world, and looking over the available material, it is hard to see how they can help it. There is not—and this includes Mr. Dewey—a single Republican aspirant who is not definitely conservative compared to the President and the. **Continued on Page Three**

## To Install New Scout Troop At Washington Crossing

A new scout troop, sponsored by the community of Washington Crossing, will be installed on Friday night. Joseph G. Park will serve as scoutmaster with Messrs. H. M. Cooper and J. B. Kadel, Jr., as assistant scoutmasters. The chairman of the troop committee will be William H. Fulper with Messrs. Watson P. Church, Roscoe M. Austin and Walter S. Scully as members of the troop committee.

Langhorne Troop No. 19, scoutmaster Eugene R. Boyd, will invest the charter members of the troop as scouts and County Scout Commissioner Wm. Burgess, Jr., District Commissioner Robert Hershey and Scout Executive Robert B. Goeller will make the presentation of the charter and certificates. The troop will be known as Troop No. 26 of the Bucks County Council Boy Scouts of America.

## LOWER BUCKS SCHOOLS TO HOLD FIELD MEET

Details for Big Event in Spring Are Yet To Be Arranged

### TO BE AT MORRISVILLE

LANGHORNE, Dec. 6—One of the most important subjects discussed Monday night at a meeting here of the Lower Bucks County association of coaches and athletic directors was the institution of an "All-Lower Bucks scholastic track and field meet." The discussion upon this topic was held over from the October meeting when the suggestion for such an event was made. Although the principals of the various schools of the association had to be consulted upon the idea, only E. L. Caum, of Morrisville, and Samuel K. Faust, of Bensalem, were there.

However, the coaches discussed the event with their individual principals privately, and all seemed of one mind in the case—that, if such a meet would not impair the relationship with that of the upper county schools in the annual B. C. I. M., they would be in favor of the new meet. One intimated it depended upon the expense involved. But this was waived out inasmuch as the meet will entail but little financially.

So the eleven schools of the Lower Bucks Association will hold their own track and field meet on the new Robert Morris athletic field in Morrisville. The league voted to allow the officials of Morrisville High to handle the meet themselves in conjunction with a committee selected from the league by President George Reimer. The committee consists of Floyd Kerr, Morrisville, chairman; Mr. Breinhizer, Langhorne; Clyde Davis, New Hope; and Sherman Dance, Bensalem.

Tentative arrangements for the meet were submitted by Mr. Kerr and Mr. I. Scott, of Morrisville. The suggestions are subject to revision and approval.

All P. I. A. A. rules and regulations would be in effect, the schools would be divided into two classes—A and B—with Bristol, Bensalem, Langhorne, and Morrisville composing Class A; and Buckingham, Fallsington, New Hope, Newtown, Richboro, Southampton, and Yardley comprising Class B.

Scoring would be based on a 5-4-3-2-1 system with individual medals awarded the first three places, and large cups given to the winning teams. Only the winning team would be awarded medals in relay events. The tentative date set for the event is Saturday, May 4th—one week preceding the County Meet. Should it rain on that day, then the meet would be cancelled until the following year.

A well-rounded out variety of events would keep the meet going from approximately 1.30 in the afternoon until five o'clock. The meet would be limited to only competition from Class A and B boys or the senior teams.

The tentative list of events includes for Class A: 100-, 220- and 440-yard dashes; half mile and mile runs; 120-yard low hurdles, pole vault, shot put, javelin throw, discus, high jump, broad jump, one-half mile relay, ninth grade relay, and mile relay. For Class B: 100- and 220-yard dashes, half-mile run, shot-put, broad jump, high jump, and mile relay. However, it is probable that more events may be added to the above list for Class B teams.

Nine schools signified their desire to enter a "proposed" tennis tournament to be held the latter part of May on the George School courts. Mr. Swain, a member of the faculty of George School, and coach of the tennis team, discussed the matter with the coaches and stated he would be glad. **Continued on Page Two**

## Huge Cobweb Entwines Gifts for Circle Members

The monthly meeting of the Social Circle, First Baptist Church, was held last evening in the church lecture room, 80 attending. After business a Christmas party was enjoyed. A large cobweb was suspended from the ceiling, and a gift for each member was tied to each strand of the web. Those attending participated in group games and singing of Christmas songs.

The hostesses were: Mrs. Albert Cole, Mrs. William DeVoe, Mrs. William Cooper, Mrs. Milnor Dyer, Mrs. James Daniels, Mrs. William Doan, Mrs. A. Crawford, Mrs. Arthur Barclay. One new member joined the Circle, and three guests were present. Refreshments were served.

### JUNIORS TO ELECT

At the meeting of Junior Auxiliary in Bracken Post home tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock, election of officers will be conducted.

## DRUNKEN DRIVER MUST PAY FINE AND COSTS OF CASE

Charles A. Jamieson, Bristol, Pleads Guilty to Charge Before Court

### OTHER CASES HEARD

Retired Banker Fined For Not Stopping at Scene of Accident

DOYLESTOWN, Dec. 6—Pleading guilty to drunken driving, Charles A. Jamieson, 22, 233 Dorrance street, Bristol, was sentenced by President Judge Hiram H. Keller to pay a fine of \$100 and the costs of prosecution.

Corporal R. D. Evans, of the South Langhorne sub-station of the Penna. Motor Police, arrested the defendant on U. S. Route 1, near South Langhorne, October 22. There was no accident.

Robert Wagner, Jr., of Phila., who testified that he was employed by the Russian government at one time as an instructor in automobile assembly work, pleaded guilty before Judge Keller to a charge of driving while drunk on the Lincoln Highway. He was given his choice of paying a fine of \$300 and costs or serving 20 days in the County Prison. He took the prison sentence.

Pleading guilty to operating a motor vehicle after operating privilege had been revoked, George W. Crummer, 49, Langhorne, a Negro, was given a suspended sentence by Judge Calvin S. Boyer, but directed to pay the costs of prosecution.

Private G. F. Martagno, of the South Langhorne sub-station of the Penna. Motor Police, testified he arrested the Negro, who was employed as a chauffeur and houseman, October 8.

The defendant's license was suspended by the Highway Department following an accident in Trenton, N. J., November 14, 1938.

Judge Boyer placed the defendant on probation for one month, but suspended sentence, taking into consideration the defendant's previous good reputation and the fact that he had never been in any trouble before.

The Negro is in the employ of Mrs. M. B. Marshall, of Langhorne, and bears an excellent reputation.

With Judge Boyer presiding, the first case which needed a jury went on trial this morning with Francis Morris Yeadon, as the defendant, charged with obtaining goods under false pretenses.

Robert Worrell, Langhorne farmer, the first witness for the Commonwealth, testified the defendant came to his farm to buy 46 hogs for \$300 on Sept. 29.

"I took his check although I told him I was not in the habit of taking checks," said Worrell.

The check was exhibited in Court by the Commonwealth and identified. **Continued on Page Four**

## Definitely Identify Suicide After An Unusual Mix-Up

The discovery of a suicide victim in Balderston's woods, on the Yardley-Newtown road, Sunday, led to an unusual mix-up in identity. In the hand of the victim when discovered was a .32 revolver, and bullet holes had penetrated his temple and chest.

Several persons made conflicting identification. Troopers went to Richboro, and found very much alive a man who had been named as the victim. Then, a Social Security card found on the body was traced to Trenton, N. J., and police seemingly established that the dead man was John Gilles, about 55, who occupied a room over Harry Berkowitz's saloon, 611 South Warren street.

In spite of the apparent positive identification of the victim as Gilles, however, Pennsylvania police did not cancel a teletype alarm, seemingly indicating that identity has not been satisfactorily established. But Stacy Brown, Newtown undertaker, yesterday declared the victim had been identified beyond doubt as Gilles.

At the Berkowitz saloon it was learned Gilles had been missing for more than a week. Another boarder, George Lyons, accompanied the police to Newtown, where the body is being held, and identified the victim. Investigation at the plant of the Mercer Bag and Burlap Company, where Gilles was employed, established that the card found on the victim bore Gilles' factory number.

## Pleased With Success of Shepherd's Lodge Party

Pleased with the success of the card party conducted by Shepherd's Delight Lodge, were members of the committee in charge, on Monday evening, said committee being headed by Mrs. William Blackburn. The party was held in F. P. A. hall.

High pinocchio scorers were: Mrs. Frank Alta, 68; Mrs. Alice Patterson, 756; Mrs. William Wheeler, 754; James McCloy, 746; Mrs. Warren Thompson, 731.

### TODAY'S TEMPERATURE

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### UP TO MINUTE

As another Christmas season comes into view with December well under way, the month by which most people measure the quality of their whole year, the same stimulus emphasizing itself nationally in certain basic and barometric lines is showing markedly in Bristol. Intensification of local trade as well as thickening traffic aid in attesting this fact.

Nationally, the most reliable gauge of economic well-being is steel production. For the first time in years it is holding steadily above 90 per cent of mill capacity, with every prospect that it will hold this year against the usual seasonal slump.

Car loadings, electric consumption, industrial output and current volume of trade, other dependable yardsticks, all confirm the economic advance seen in steel. The nation is coming back to its stride and everything everywhere in this energetic community offers evidence that Bristol, alert to national recovery, is keeping step with it, up to the minute.

### DEPARTURE OF A FRIEND

Goodby, old friend—trusted and loyal friend—as faithful to us in your fashion as Black Beauty of our boyhood. You warned us in the winter's cold; you cooled us in the August heat; you entertained us with your radio. True, at the end we had to bear with your infirmities, but no more than you with ours. Never did you let us down of your own accord, for when you did, it was we who were at fault, for not having fed you or attended to your few wants.

So long, old pal—we're trading you in on a 1940 model!

And there, no doubt, lies the in advisability of keeping an automobile too long. It takes on a person ality. In the end it becomes one of the household. Its foibles, its little weaknesses and its scars become inextricably woven into a family experience and a pattern of life, to be indulged and allowed for and even cherished, as these things must be if life together is to be possible at all.

A salesman tells of a family which, after much searching of the heart, decided lately the time had come to let go a car that had been with it seven years; that had, of course, acquired an affectionate nickname, as all good cars do; had carried its owner across the continent several times, had brought three new babies home from the hospital, and twice had taken the family to the cemetery to see an elder laid away.

When the salesman drove up with the new job, all sleek and shiny and smug, and climbed into the older car to drive it off, the folks lined the porch and waved, and a couple wiped away unashamed tears. Which led the salesman to wonder if it is true the humanities began to wither this machine age.

And so—saying goodby to one who has been an indispensable companion through many a good time and an occasional storm—do others.

Joe DiMaggio and Dorothy Arnold were married, all right, but it was a terrific struggle to fight through the crowds. The new Mrs. DiMaggio has earned the right to be a base ball widow.

It's time to decide which All-American team you like the most.

## Lower Bucks Schools To Hold Field Meet

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to co-operate with them. In fact, he announced he would be willing to serve on a selected committee and work with them.

Plans for the tournament are indefinite as yet. The nine schools desiring to enter the tournament are: Bensalem, Bristol, Buckingham, Fallsington, Langhorne, Morrisville, New Hope, Newtown, and Southampton. The committee selected by President Reimer to make complete arrangements for the event are: Allen Tomlinson, Newtown, chairman; Claude Lodge, Southampton; Howard Gushard, Bristol; and Mr. Swain, George School.

Another tournament suggested was for those who desired to play golf. Charles Beck, of Langhorne, chairman of that committee, reported that the Langhorne Country Club was available at an entrance fee of 50 cents. Mike Derrick, of Yardley, and Coach Beck are to make further investigations on the suggested tournament and report at next meeting with complete details of the event.

Those schools interested in the golf tournament are: Bensalem, Bristol, Langhorne, Morrisville, Yardley, and possibly Buckingham. Fallsington, New Hope, Newtown, Richboro, and Southampton were not interested in this tournament while only Richboro and Yardley were interested in the tennis tournament.

Another important item coming out of the session was the almost certain dissolution of the Lower Bucks County soccer league, which broke away from the old Bux-Mont league three years ago and formed their own circuit of six teams. However, this year it operated with only four clubs.

So it was decided that they would disband it and return to the old Bux-Mont league which would again be a six-team circuit with the entrance of Hatfield and Whitpain from Montgomery County. Claude Lodge, of Southampton, who is working on this plan, will make a complete report of the new league at the next meeting in March. If such a loop were formed, it would operate entirely independent of the Lower Bucks league.

Coach Jim Doherty, of Fallsington, moved for a uniform league ruling regarding the "back court" 16-second rule for basketball. The back court line at some schools is at mid-floor while at other schools it is two-thirds of the entire court. This year, however, by vote it was decided to use the two-third mark as the back-court line since most schools used it due to smaller floors. Only Bristol and Fallsington will have to change their lines.

The Bensalem Owls were presented with the "Big Brown Jug" as token for their achievement in winning the "Little Three" conference title this year. At the same time, a discussion arose as to whom should go the league trophy for the main conference championship. A suggestion offered by Coach John Hoffman, of Morrisville, to the effect that both Bristol and Morrisville share evenly for the purchase of an identical trophy as that awarded by the league with each school to receive one for their own which would have engraved upon it "Co-Champions—1939." This suggestion was adopted.

Because of the situation arising out of the Dickinson scoring system in the football conference this season, the coaches went into a huddle over the banning of the system in favor of something new. However, nothing definite was done in that direction. There is a good possibility, though, that each conference team may meet

every league opponent next year. This schedule has already been mapped out by Bensalem, Langhorne, and Morrisville. And it only remains for Bristol and Newtown to get together to make that arrangement complete. But it is generally believed that such a schedule can be arranged for next year. This would eliminate any such situations as the one which cropped up this year.

Jimmy Doherty, chairman of the committee to select the All-Star grid team this year, requested each coach to list each player on his own team as well as opponents whom he thought worthy of placing; and also those on his own team whom he thought unworthy of placing if there was such a one. The team, he said, would be selected either the latter part of this week or next.

The March meeting will be held in the form of a dinner meeting again, the site yet to be chosen by the committee selected for making arrangements for the affair, which includes: John Hoffman, Morrisville, chairman; Horace Luft, Buckingham, and Charles Utz, Bristol.

Mr. Caum announced that the winning team in the Lower Bucks basketball league this season would have to engage the winner of the Philadelphia suburban loop in its opening game of the District One playoffs. Cheery guy, heh!

### LEGAL

#### NOTICE

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of ANTON WAGNER and LEONTINE WAGNER, his wife, Individually and Jointly, Bankrupts.

To the Creditors of ANTON WAGNER and LEONTINE WAGNER, his

wife, Individually and Jointly, of Perishable, R. D. No. 1, in the County of Bucks, and State of Pennsylvania, Bankrupts.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1939, the said Anton Wagner and Leontine Wagner, his wife, Individually and Jointly, were duly adjudicated Bankrupts under Section 7 of the Federal Bankruptcy Act, and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of the Referee, Harry Building, Poynton, Pa., on the FIFTEENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1939, at 10:00 A. M., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the Bankrupts and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

ROBERT G. HENDERICKS, Referee in Bankruptcy, December 5, 1939. E-12-6-11.

### ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of William Henry VanHorn (also known as W. Harry VanHorn), deceased, late of Bristol, Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.

Letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay to:

HELEN MAY HIBES, Executor, 19 Kent Road, Upper Darby, Pa. Or to her Attorney, JUDITH P. BETZ, JR., 210 Radcliffe Street, Bristol, Pa.

11-15-610w.

### ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Miriam S. Scott, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to:

THOMAS SCOTT, Executor, 220 Radcliffe Street, Bristol, Pa.

12-6-610w.

### NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County, Bristol, Pa., for the election of Directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the bank-

ing house, 244 Radcliffe street, Bristol, Pa., on Tuesday, January 9th, 1940, between the hours of 9.00 and 11.00 A. M.

THOMAS SCOTT, Cashier.

### Real Estate for Rent

Apartments and Flats 74

FURN. APT.—4 rooms, elec. refrig., priv. bath, oil heat, d.h.w. Douglass Apts., 624 Wood St., phone 425.

APT.—5 rms., all conven., heat incl. Bus passes door, \$24 mo. Tryon's Real Estate Office, Cedar and New York Aves., Crofton.

MODERN PRIVATE APT.—5 rm., tile bath, hardwood floors. All air cond., also 2 rm. & tile bath. Can be rented together if desired. Van Orden, Park Ave., Lang. Manor, Phone Lang. 57.

FURN. APT.—Three room. Apply 325 Dorrance Street.

### Business Places for Rent

GULF OIL STATION—On Lincoln Highway near race track. Doing business, \$200. Will handle. See me at Poplars Inn. A. I. LeHuquet, Alice W. Nelson.

### Houses for Rent

6 VALUABLE PROPERTIES—From \$20 to \$35. Posses. at once. Apply Chas. LaPolla, 1415 Farragut Ave. Phone 652.

BUNGALOW—All conveniences. F. C. King. Phone 3132.

BUNGALOW—6 rms. Bath Rd. 1 mile from Bristol. Avail. Dec. 10. Apply 574 Swain St.

FERGUSONVILLE—3 rm. house and garage. Have to carry water. \$10 mo. Tryon's Real Estate Office, Cedar and New York Aves., Crofton.

### Real Estate for Sale

Business for Sale 82-A

GAS STATION CONCESSION—Bristol Pike, Crofton. Reas. Inquire Frank Weiskelt, at above address.

## Classified Advertising

### Department

#### Announcements

#### Funeral Directors

UNDERTAKER—William I. Murphy, Estate, 315 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

#### Automotive

#### Automobiles for Sale

BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville.

NASH SEDAN—4 door, cheap. Apply 116 Jefferson Ave. N. J. McIlvaine

#### Business Service

#### Business Services Offered

GENERAL CESSPOOL WORK—Done reasonable. Phone Bristol 7274.

1940 CIGARETTE PERMITS—\$1. Apply 303 Radcliffe St. Phone 541.

#### Building and Contracting

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey. Telephone Bristol 7125.

#### Building and Contracting

CEMENT WORK—Blocks laid; cesspools; block chimneys. Reasonable. T. Donohue & Son, painters & carpenters, Crofton, Phone 7634.

#### Heating, Plumbing, Roofing

OIL BURNERS—Hot water heat. Plumbing. Nothing down, 3 years to pay. Harry C. Barth, Crofton, Phone Bristol 7575.

JACK'S WELDING SHOP—If broken and made of metal, have it mended by electric welding. Lessons taught. Newport rd. & Bristol Cem. Ph. 2946.

#### Employment

#### Help Wanted—Female

WAITRESS—Over 21, singing preferred, Sat. night. Apply Van's Shanty, Crofton.

Situations Wanted—Female 36  
GIRL—Desires housework by the day or the week. Phone 2643 or call at 703 Clymer street.

#### Financial

#### Investments—Stocks, Bonds

INION BUILDING & LOAN COMPANY—New series Dec. 11, 1939. Single & double payment plan. Entrance fee 25¢ per share. The best and safest plan of investment for profit for the average working man or woman. Howard I. James, Sec'y, 205 Radcliffe St. Rose Mauro

#### Merchandise for Sale

#### Articles for Sale

POOL TABLE—Good cond. Cost \$25; will sell for \$10. Phone Bristol 647.

COAL RANGE—Ivory & black. Perfect cond. Mrs. Meder, Emilie Rd. R. D. 1, Phone 7253.

CABINET STYLE GAS STOVE—Green and Ivory. Mrs. M. Delker, Bath Rd. Phone 2573.

G. E. REFRIGERATOR—G. E. stove, prac. new; large solid oak hall rack. Comb. dish & bookcase, 2 iron beds, living rm. table, chairs, etc., Saturday at 2 o'clock. Garage, rear of 316 Washington. Please apply in alley leading from Wood St.

#### Farm Equipment

HOT BATTERY BROODER—Cap. 800 2½ lb. chickens. Sell 100 chickens each wk. Price cheap. Roy M. Shirar, last house on Ford av., Hulmele.

#### Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

COAL—Clean, hard anthracite. Stove & nut \$8.00; pea \$7.50; buck \$5.50. 22 bags. Dis. on 3 tons or more. Peters, Church St., Crofton. Ph. Bris. 3090.

CLEAN HARD COAL—Stove & nut \$8; pea \$7; buck \$5.50. 22 bags to ton. M. Houser, Bath Rd. Dial 2676.

FUEL, OIL—And kerosene. Richfield. Phone 3223 for prompt delivery.

BLACK DIAMOND COAL—Stove and nut, \$7.50; pea, \$6.50; buckwheat, \$5.50. Phone 3223.

COAL—Stove & nut, \$7.75; pea, \$7.00; buck, \$5.50. L. Comfort, phone 2711.

#### Good Things to Eat

MEAT RABBITS—Delivered. Geo. Wheeler, Edgely avenue, Edgely. Phone 7478.

PORK ROLL—25¢, pork sausage 20¢, pork sausage 22¢, pork scrap 10¢, calf's brains 10¢, calf's tongues 10¢, ground meat 15¢; 3-lb meat loaf, ready to cook, 65¢. John Smith, 113 Pond St.

#### Household Goods

COMPLETE HOUSEHOLD FURN.—Of John Finner Est., 12 Woodside Ave., Edgely, Pa. to be sold by the family Dec. 9, starting 10 a. m.

#### Wanted—To Buy

HOT AIR HEATER—Apply Louis Storms, Newport Rd., West Bristol.

PIPELESS HEATER—In good condition. Phone Bristol 7121.

BROODER STOVE—For baby chicks. State price and make. Box 6, Crofton, Pa.

#### Real Estate for Rent

#### Rooms without Board

FURNISHED ROOM—In private home where use of telephone is available. Write Box 734, Courier.

FURN. ROOM—Bath St., near Mill. Write Box 735, Courier.

#### Rooms for Housekeeping

UNFURN. ROOMS—2, 4 or 6, upper. Use of bath. Mrs. Meder, Emilie Rd., R. D. No. 1, phone 7253.

## "RED EARTH" by TOM GILL

### CHAPTER I

"He is very handsome, too."

The dark-haired girl

sighed.

"Oh, very handsome." She nodded

rapidly by way of emphasis.

The girl beside her laughed. "But

it's six years since you have seen

him, Lola. He may be fat and bald."

They made a vivid contrast, those

two, a contrast not only of coloring

and manner but of something far

more fundamental—a difference in

the way each regarded life itself.

The one who had just spoken was

slender, with a kind of boyish slen-

derness, and the face too might have

been the eager face of a young boy.

Gray, thoughtful eyes looked out at

you with calm, level gaze, but a little

skeptically, as one who deals warily

with a world not wholly to be trust-

ed. The head was small, proudly

poised, and the hair itself a cluster

of coppery gold. She might have

been twenty-five—perhaps less.

The other—the girl named Lola—

was unmistakably of Spanish ori-

gin. Thick hair so black it sparkled,

dark olive skin, and slightly slant-

ing eyes. Younger than the other,

there was still something of a child's

wonder in the lazily unawakened

eyes, but something too of the

woman. And—again in contrast—

those eyes seemed to hold implicit

trust, an acceptance of everything

this friendly universe might bring.

"Life will begin again when he is

back," she said after a silence.

"With him life was always—" she

sought for the word, "always excit-

ing. He made everything seem ad-

venturous—when he was here you

lived more quickly. And he loved

all this—he knew every foot of the

desert and the foothills."

Almost enviously the other smiled

down at the reclining girl. "What

a marvellously beautiful place he is

coming back to!" Her eyes rose to

where "all palms curved within the

patio, and where dotted beneath

them orange trees and feathered

bambos led deeper notes of green.

"And to all this," half to herself

the girl was saying, "to all this he

comes back as master."

"Who comes back?"

At the question both girls turned

to see a man in riding garb standing

just inside the patio. Slight of build

and scarcely taller than the girls

themselves, his hair graying at the

temples and a small, carefully

trimmed beard made him appear

older than his thirty-five years. The

slender, well modeled hands were

never quite motionless, and his eyes

seemed always a little mocking.

"Who is coming back as master?"

"Lola waves him to a chair. "My

cousin, Jack Douglas—in two days

he will be here."

The man smiled in retrospect.

"They still tell brave tales of that



## PARTIES

## SOCIAL EVENTS

## ACTIVITIES

## "Headed for Eden" Promises Fine Stage Entertainment

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Dec. 6.—The seniors of Bensalem Township high school will give their class play in the high school auditorium on December 14th.

"Headed for Eden" is a light, quick-moving play with its setting in a boarding house in Chicago.

The girls who live there have many little troubles to worry them but when the very popular Kate, a newspaper woman, finds herself in real trouble over her brother, the girls put their heads together to try to find a way to help her. They in turn drag into the plot their beaux, and all of them get into a maze which is finally straightened out during the course of the play.

Kate Roberts is the capable reporter, played by Bensalem's popular actress, Edna May Vanant. The girls—Nancy Lane, a filing clerk; Dorothy Brill, a stenographer; Rosina Blandish, another stenographer; Gladys Hermann, a mannequin; Marcella Turner, a waitress (when she has a job); Minnie Peters, a store clerk; Peggy Walters, a clerk; and Imogene, the maid, are played by the following well-known seniors of Bensalem: Dorothy Hughes, Marion Mills, Frances Stulzberger, Bette Pierciey, Margaret Funke, Kathryn Harrison, Anne Palmer, and Carol Diks. The character of Mrs. Skipworth is splendidly portrayed by Sarah Jane White; and the boys are: Bob Roberts, Kate's brother; Sergeant Kelly, a sergeant on the police force; Ken Howard, a reporter for the "Sun"; Barry Richards, Rosina's employer; Hank, the laundryman; Henry Banks, a truck driver; and Larry, a former underworld character.

The boys are enacted by Robert Reynolds, Marshall Rain, Charles Muddie, Jack Scott, Thomas McCarthy, Norman Miller and Harold Heller.

This well-known cast represents the cream of Bensalem high's crop of actors and actresses, it is said.

### In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

Miss Louise Stewart has changed her residence from 230 Dorrance street to 210 Jefferson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen, Mrs. Mary Barnes, Mrs. Rosie White, Trenton, and Miss Nellie Headley, Murray Hill, N. Y., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Carrie Headley, Wood and Washington streets.

Mr. H. Crowther and daughter Mrs. Emma Stover, Doylestown, were guests of friends in Bristol the latter part of the week.

Mrs. W. Taylor, Trenton, N. J., is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cole, Wood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Harper and daughter, Bellefont, Del., spent the week-end visiting Mr. Harper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harper, Pond street.

Wayne Warner, Harrisburg, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Warner, Wood and Washington streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Snyder and family, Oakford, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snyder, Buckley street.

Mrs. Robert Sutton, Buckley street, entertained a group of friends at her home on Thursday evening. The evening was enjoyed in a social way and refreshments served.

Edward Gale, Jr., New York, and George Cooper, Ithaca, N. Y., were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and

### Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Father, give me, I pray Thee, a deeper sense of my kinship with Thee that I may realize my kinship with my fellow men—that when I look into the face of my neighbor I may discover my brother.—Amen.

Mrs. William Campbell, 348 Jackson street, Miss Mary Campbell and brother William, and Miss Anna Keers, 1328 Trenton avenue, and Miss Campbell's guests, motored to Garfield, on Sunday, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, Pomroy, Pa., were Sunday guests at the home of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Milligan, New Buckley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ford, Maple Beach, entertained at dinner on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, Dunellen, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stradling, Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ford and family, Adams street.

Miss Vera Tomlinson, Walnut street, is recuperating from ten days' illness. Naomi Tomlinson is now confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Danfield, 620 Beaver street, spent Sunday in Valley Cottage, N. Y., visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Danfield.

Paul Barrett, 605 Beaver street, visited his brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John E. Barrett, Newark, N. J., the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Leonard Angus, Corson street, spent Thursday and Friday visiting relatives in Millersburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lebo, Jr., and daughter Patricia, Jackson street, spent Monday visiting in Philadelphia.

Mrs. William Lilly, 559 Linden street, spent Friday until Sunday in Prospect Park, visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ashenfelder, Mr. Lilly and Leon Milligan, New Buckley street, and Paul Barnes, Paperville, spent Friday until Sunday on a deer-hunting trip in Center County, Pa.

Walter Poulette and William Terneison, Bristol; Frank Jackson and W. Barrett, Edgely, spent Thursday until Sunday on a hunting trip in the Pocono Mountains.

William Gallagher, 701 Pine street, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. James McCormick, Lansdowne.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Vasey, Philadelphia, were guests the latter part of the week at the homes of Mrs. Edna Vasey, Harrison street, and Mr. and Mrs. George Vasey, Midway.

### New Historical Book Released To Public

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ing 26 years as superintendent of the Sunday School, was honored upon his retirement by being made superintendent emeritus.

No one has been more loyal to his native town than Mr. Green and during his life he has given his support to every effort or undertaking designed to be of benefit to the community. Eight years he has given to the collection of data for this book, and the labor which he has expended without hope of remuneration will stand out pre-eminently as an evidence of the great love which he has for the town of his nativity.

The community is indebted to Mr. Green for his laborious task which, undoubtedly, will be recognized and more appreciated as the years advance. He has done a work for posterity.

The book is substantially bound and profusely illustrated.

## ON THE SCREENS

### GRAND THEATRE

Graced by a youthful and vivacious cast, four lilting new song hits, original comedy and lavish dance revues, Universal's new musical film, "Hawaiian Nights," proved surprising screen entertainment when it opened yesterday at the Grand Theatre.

Unfolding in a tropical paradise, the picture features Johnny Downs, Mary Carlisle, Constance Moore and Eddie Quillan. Princess Luana, famed queen of the hula, leads two hundred pretty native girls in eye-filling dance numbers and introduces the exotic swing-hula for the first time on the screen.

### BRISTOL THEATRE

With Jascha Heifetz, the world's most renowned violinist starred, Samuel Goldwyn's new major production, "They Shall Have Music," which will have its premiere showing at the Bristol Theatre today, unfolds a gripping story of human interest, high-lighted by tense and thrilling action.

The principal romantic roles are played by Andrea Leeds and Joel McCrea, while the important supporting roles are portrayed by Walter Brennan, Gene Reynolds and Tommy Kelly.

### RITZ THEATRE

The Jones Family's latest 20th Century-Fox film is "Quick Millions," opening today at the Ritz Theatre, and every Jones is good for a million laughs. The film takes the family to the Grand Canyon to claim a gold mine they have inherited, but it costs them ten for every dollar they get out of the mine!

Charlie Chan crosses the ghostly path of murder by magic at the World's Fair playground on the Pacific in "Charlie Chan at Treasure Island," his newest and most exciting 20th Century-Fox mystery thriller, which opens today at the Ritz Theatre.

### Events for Tonight

Card party in I. O. O. F. hall, by Lily Rebekah Lodge ways and means committee, 9 p. m.  
Card party, benefit Bristol Needlework Guild, at home of Mrs. G. S. Williams, N. Radcliffe St., 2 p. m.  
Christmas bazaar by Christian Endeavor of Bristol Presbyterian Church, in church banquet hall.

### The Great Game of Politics

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people who with him have been running the Government for the past seven years.

THIS being the case, there is a perfectly obvious way by which the Republicans could acquire an issue that would make it unnecessary for them to hunt for any other and fully fill the void that now exists. Of course, should Mr. Roosevelt run again they would be handed an issue on a silver platter. Feeling against the third term and the dictatorship prejudice.

plus the conservative Democratic opposition to the President personally, would make the election of almost any Republican candidate likely. Certainly the whole campaign for the Republicans would be simplified by the Roosevelt candidacy and the more astute among them would be delighted if it should develop.

THAT particular "break" is not now looked upon as likely and the next best thing that could happen to the Republicans would be for the Roosevelt influence to force on the Democratic convention a radical candidate, whose record, views and predilections make him acceptable to the Left Wing group of Presidential advisers, but not to the great mass of conservative Democrats who have never been really sympathetic with the New Deal. The reason this would be a piece of luck for the Republicans are clear. Chief among them is the fact that the radical tide which had been running in the country since 1933 definitely slowed down in 1937 and turned in 1938, sharply reducing Democratic majorities in the House and Senate, electing thirteen Republican Governors in States held by the Democrats for six years and recapturing for the Republicans some 3,000 courthouses.

NO posted politician has any doubt that that tide is still running in the conservative direction. Its pace has, in fact, been accelerated by several things—one, increased apprehension over the rising governmental expenses, continued deficit borrowing and mountainous debt; another, the European conflict, which tends to create a desire for conservatism and competency in the management of national affairs; a third, the discredit thrown upon the professional "liberals" by the exhibition of Communist brutality abroad and the Communist penetration at home—into the very Government itself.

ALL of this means that in the present state of popular feeling if the Republicans get the chance to really make the issue one between radicalism and conservatism, they will almost certainly win. In that event they need not have any other issue and any one of the three first-string men now considered would have a fine chance of election. For one thing, it would be impossible to keep several million conservative Democrats from voting for him. No better proof that the country is conservative can be had than in the membership of Congress, which—particularly the

House—reflects the people. In the House, while there are 266 Democrats and 172 Republicans, if you discard the party division and divide them as between conservative and radical or liberal or left wing or whatever you choose to call them, better than 300 are conservatives, less than 100 "liberal." Proof of that was given in more than one anti-administration vote last session.

THIS being the situation, the inescapable logic of the Democrats is to nominate a conservative candidate whom Mr. Roosevelt can support. Anything else splits the party and plays into Republican hands. Because, this certainly is true—if the Democrats nominate a radical, the conservative Democrats will bolt to the Republicans, but if the convention nominates a conservative who has supported Mr. Roosevelt and is friendly to him, the radicals can't bolt for the reason they have no place to go. The Democrats can baffle the Republicans, leave them without an issue and probably win by nomi-



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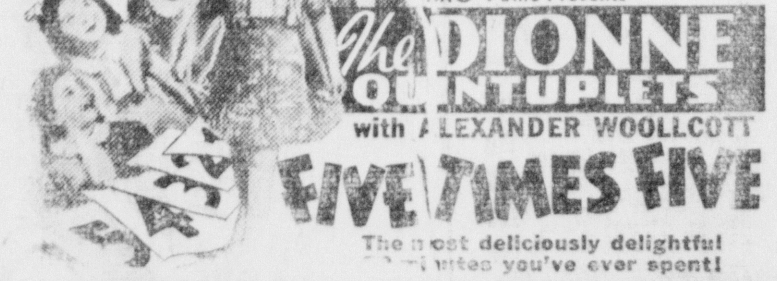
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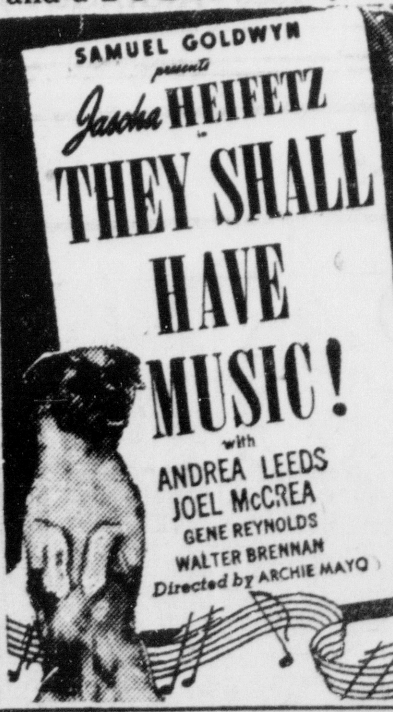
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# ST. FRANCIS FIVE OUT TO WIN 25 GAMES

EDDINGTON, Dec. 6.—Once again St. Francis high hopefuls of the wood-en ways have been called to arms by their coach, Joe Meehan.

Fifteen veterans from last season donned uniforms Saturday afternoon at two o'clock for their first scheduled game, against Croydon Y. M. A. The Eddington boys won 35-26.

St. Francis brought itself into the limelight of the world of sport last year by winning 26 out of 27 basketball encounters.

Their season continues at breakneck speed with absolutely no set-ups, and in the short time of 24 days the team will have met 12 opponents.

On Sunday afternoon at two o'clock the Voltz Texaco Boys Club of Bristol visited Eddington to play the Blue and Gold lads. They went down to the tune of 34-17.

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# CRUSHER CASEY TO HEADLINE ARENA CARD

TRENTON, Dec. 6.—An outstanding wrestling double windup, featuring Jim and Steve "Crusher" Casey opposed to two of the foremost grapplers in the game, Dynamite Joe Cox and Abe Coleman, will headline Promoter Johnny Ipp's weekly wrestling show at the Arena tonight.

Steve, recognized in many states as the heavyweight champion of the world, will tangle with Able Coleman. He has been undefeated since he started his American invasion several years ago and he is generally regarded as the most powerful grappler in the game.

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# SUBURBAN LEAGUE OPENS SEASON TONIGHT

BRISTOL SUBURBAN BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Schedule for Tonight

FIFTH WARD vs. SO. LANGHORNE

KING A. A. vs. VOLTZ-TEXACO

FRANKLIN A. C. vs. CROYDON

Composed of young talent gathered in this section, the teams of the Bristol Suburban League will open its season tonight when three games are played on the Croydon Skating Rink floor.

In the first encounter, the Fifth Ward Sporting Club will clash with South Langhorne; King A. A. meets Voltz-Texaco in the second tilt; and lastly, Franklin A. C. plays Croydon Y. M. A.

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Bristol fans will be highly interested in the circuit because five clubs in this borough are entered in the loop. They are: Voltz-Texaco, Fifth Ward, Franklin, Celtics, Jr., and Third Ward. The Celtics and Pikers will be idle tonight.

At a meeting of the league, Joe Roe was appointed official referee and Albert Tenthuus, timer.

The opening tap-off tonight will take place at seven o'clock and a large crowd from this section is expected to be on hand for the opening clashes.

# BRISTOL RECS TO PLAY FALLS ALUMNI SUNDAY

After considerable dickering, the Bristol Rees and the Falls Alumni will play for the championship of Bucks County on Sunday at Warner Field, Morrisville, at 2.30 p. m.

The Falls club won the local conference title without losing a game, defeating Andalusia, Langhorne and St. Ann's, while the Rees have not lost a game to any Bucks county team in the last five years, so the fans can look for a red hot battle on Sunday.

Coach George Dougherty will try and get some of his injured players out for this battle with the idea of keeping the title in Bristol so the Rees will hold a special practise on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the practise ground, Wood and Taylor streets, and he wants all Rees players who are going to play in this championship game to be on hand.

Coach Doherty of the Falls club is making preparation of handling the largest crowd of the season. Central board officials will have control of this game in Mike DeRisi, Wally Waldecker, and Coach Tomlinson of Newtown. The Falls club will also practise on either Thursday or Friday evening.

# Whyno Gets Jail Term And Must Pay Costs of Case

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tory, and charge of aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill.

Judge Boyer informed the defendant that he was very fortunate to be in court on such a charge, in lieu of a possible murder charge. This marks the fourth time that Carmi Whyno has been in Bucks County court. It was stated, his record dating back to 1911 when he was sent to Glen Mills Reformatory School after being arrested for an alleged theft.

At the time he shot his brother, he was said to be on probation on a charge of stealing copper wire. The details of the case were brought out by Bucks County Detective Anthony Russo and by Pennsylvania Motor Police.

After the shooting three months ago, Charles Whyno was taken to a Bristol hospital for treatment, he being wounded in the top of the left arm by a bullet from a .32 caliber revolver.

It was claimed after the shooting, that the two had argued over use of an automobile. Carmi took his brother to the hospital after wounding him.

# Raise \$26,200 Fund For Doylestown Church

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campaign, sent here by the National Mission Board.

That a total of \$26,200 had been raised in one week was grand news, but later in the day it was announced that before the odds and ends of the campaign are cleaned up an additional \$1,000 will be collected, making the total approximately \$27,200.

This money will be added to an endowment of \$15,000 from the estate of the late Mrs. Lydia Harvey, and will be used to pay off a small existing debt for redecorating the Presbyterian Church and to build the new educational and recreational building on Mechanic street in the rear of the church.

Excavation work on the new structure will start immediately, but it is

not likely that much construction work will get under way before March 1st. The preliminary plans have been completed by Oscar Leidy, Doylestown, and Heacock and Heacock, Philadelphia. The structure will be 65 feet by 99 feet and will be ready for dedication and occupancy in the early Fall of 1940.

Members of the Presbyterian congregation and church made it possible to raise the \$27,200 within a week's time.

# Name Officers For St. Ann's Athletic Ass'n

The annual election of officers for the St. Ann's Athletic Association was held last night in the meeting room of the organization. The following were elected: President, Eugene Spadaccino; vice-president, Raymond Castor; financial secretary, Thomas Juno; treasurer, John Paglione, sergeant-at-arms, James LaRegina; trustees, Joe Tunis, James LaSalle and Lee Conti.

Paglione and Juno were re-elected for their fifth term and LaRegina for

his second. The others are all new office-holders. They will be installed at the January meeting.

# Drunken Driver Must Pay Fine and Costs of Case

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by Mr. Worrell, who had endorsed it at the time of the sale.

Mr. Worrell said the check was returned marked "no funds", and that he has never received any money for the pigs.

A day or so later, after buying the hogs, the defendant returned to the Langhorne farm and bought hay and corn. "Mr. Morris said he would be back Monday and settle up," said Mr. Worrell.

An outside representative of the Northwestern National Bank, Irvin Udell, testified the defendant opened an account Sept. 7. The total deposits while the account was open totaled \$27 until the account was closed October 2.

Fred Worman, 35, Pipersville, R. D., who pleaded guilty to drunken driving for a second time, was sentenced by Judge Calvin S. Boyer on Monday afternoon to pay the costs of prosecution and serve not less than three months nor more than three years in the County Prison.

Worman, who is employed as a farmhand in the Wismer section, pleaded guilty to drunken driving in December, 1934, when he was sentenced to pay a fine in the Bucks County courts.

"When it comes to a second offense for drunken driving the Court gives very little consideration to the hardships it heaps upon the rest of the family," said Judge Boyer, who pointed out that in more than 50 per cent of the cases innocent members of the family have to suffer because of the crimes of others.

"You should have known the danger surrounding your circumstances in taking a drink when you were going to drive a car," said Judge Boyer. "I would have thought that any man in his sound mind, who had one experience with the Courts in drunken

driving, would never take a drink again when he was going to drive a car. And yet in five years you forgot that experience. Perhaps it was the Court's fault. Maybe we were too easy in letting you off with a fine. I suppose then you told the Court how you had to support your parents and the Court was sympathetic to your story."

Joseph Ernest Richards, 58, Kintnersville, former vice president of the Western Trust Company of Philadelphia, now a retired banker, who pleaded guilty to failure to stop a motor vehicle at the scene of an accident, was sentenced by Judge Calvin S. Boyer to pay a fine of \$100 and the costs of prosecution.

# Decorative and Also Practical Gifts Shown

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and dignity, and yes, with cheer, over the home? For just such a case, Smith's Model Shop offers at 412 Mill street a charming house-coat of paisley chiffon velvet. It is a joy to behold, and that is just what the recipient will say. Untrimmed except for throw-belt and flat collar of self-material, it is rich looking indeed. Another, among the many from which to choose, is one in cerise crushed-velvet, this model being collarless.

The thought given to the growing boy when it comes to gifts, is usually one of practicability. For just such a case Vandegrift's Men's Shop, Mill and Pond streets, shows a slip-over sweater in two shades of gray. With two types of stitches, alternating to form one-inch stripes, the main portion of the sweater is in light gray, while the cuffs, the waist-band and neck-band are in the darker tone. A desk calendar in bronze and gold tones answers the problem for one man on the gift list. A turn of a small knob brings into vision the correct day, date and month. One glance at this in Vandegrift's window will mean a decision to buy.

There are few householders who fail to give attention to the home as the holiday season approaches. Nearly everyone at this time carries out the

desire to spend a portion of the Christmas money on adding to attractive-ness of the house, whether it be redecoration of floors, side-walls or wood-work. Whatever the case may be Woler's Paint & Wall-paper Store, 318 Mill street, stands ready to aid. Wall-paper in endless variety, paints of every type and shade—as well as material and tools to refurbish the floors, are to be had there. Carry out that impulse now, and make this Christmas one that will improve the home in the years to come.

Some of the finest cosmetics on the market, those recommended by outstanding beauticians and Hollywood artists, are to be seen in the display window of Dries' Rexall Store, 310 Mill street. It would take a lengthy list to name them all, so the suggestion is that a visit be made. Tastes vary almost as much as the list of manufacturers for such items, but those of the finest grade are to be had at Dries. And if seeking for items to put in the toe of the stocking, this store offers sachet bags of lavender blossoms. The fragrance will linger not for the day, but for the months ahead, and such will be treasured far above the other knick-knacks placed in the traditional Christmas stocking.

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